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In re PATENT APPLICATION of

EVANS et al.

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Sir:

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

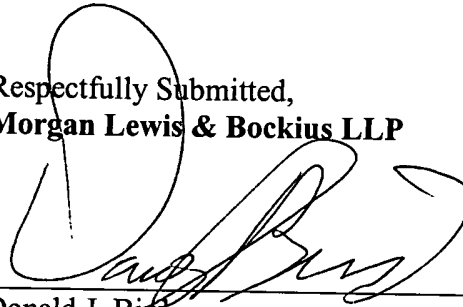
This is in response to the restriction requirement set forth in the one-month Office Action dated August 1, 2001, the time for responding to which has been extended by the petition and authorization for fee payment submitted herewith.

In response to the restriction requirement, applicants elect the invention of Group II, claims 21-22, drawn to the method of treatment. In response to the further request for an election of a species of benign or malignant disease within Group II, applicants

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provisionally elect the species "breast cancer" for initial examination in this application. The elected species falls within the scope of claims 21 and 22.

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